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Date: October 25, 2002

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

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Enclosed please find a second duplicate submittal of the Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) that was mailed to the USPTO on June 28, 2000 via first class mail. Copies of the IDS (including a Certificate Of Mailing showing filing on June 28, 2000), Form PTO-1449 (citing 273 references), and two stamped post cards (indicating receipt at the USPTO) are enclosed herewith. Copies of cited non-patent documents (items 160-273) also are enclosed.

Applicants respectfully submit that the stamped post cards indicate receipt of all 273 references by the Patent Office on July 3, 2001 and receipt of the non-patent documents on October 30, 2002. Accordingly, Applicants request formal indication of consideration of all references not previously initialed (items 160-273) in the Information Disclosure Statement filed June 28, 2000.

As reference items 160-273 were misplaced by the USPTO, Applicants respectfully submit that no additional fee is necessary. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0563.

Respectfully submitted,

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Attached is a list of documents on form PTO-1449 together with a copy of each identified document. It is requested that these documents be considered by the Examiner and officially made of record in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 and Section 609 of the MPEP.

Applicants note that Items 88, 86, 73, 82, 87, 118, 94, 175, 133, 134, 131 and 138 of the concurrently filed PTO-1449 form were located in a search related to the present application or have been identified as particularly relevant to the present application. The other items listed in the PTO-1449 form were identified in other modem cases filed by the assignee of the present application. Finally, Applicants note that various standards related to modems are provided at items 171, 182, 183, 172, and 184.

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